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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.113

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated February 14, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following response that begins on page 6 of this paper. Because this response is timely filed, falling within the shortened statutory period for response that runs until May 14, 2006, Applicants believe that no fee is required. Entry of the response and amendment is respectfully requested.

In view of this response and amendment to the Examiner's Office Action, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.